

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Mitsuru Ozono, et al.  
Appln. No. : 10/620,184  
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Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PICKING UP SEMICONDUCTOR  
CHIP AND SUCTION AND EXFOLIATION TOOL USED THEREFOR

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Art Unit : 1791  
Examiner : Mark A. Osele

Customer No. : 00116  
Docket No. : 35857

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**AMENDMENT "D"**

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated February 22, 2008. The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on May 22, 2008.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.